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hereafter have any child born, that such child or children shall have the same benefit & advantage of maintenance & Education & be entitled to an equal share of my residuary Estate with my children before mentioned in the same manner as if such child or children were now alive & expressly mentioned in this my will. Lastly, I do hereby constitute & appoint my beloved wife, Mary Garlick, my Executrix, and my son-in-Law, Robert Hill, sons, J. & Sam'l (when they shall attain to lawful age for that purpose) to be Executors of this my Will & Testament.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & fixed my seal the day & yr. within written.

SAMUEL GARLICK,
(Seal.)

Signed, sealed, & published as the last will & Testament of the said Sam'l Garlick before us, who also signed the same as witnesses in his presence.

John Temple, Ann Pollard.
Joseph Temple.

At a court held for King Wm. Co., the 16th day of Oct., 1772, this will was presented in Court by Robert Hill & John Garlick, two of the Executors therein named, & the same being proved by the witnesses thereto, was Ordered to be Recorded, and on the motion of the Executors, they having entered into Bond with John Hill & Ed Hill, their Securitys and acknowledged the same, Certificate is granted therefor obtaining a probate thereof in due form.

By the Court,

Edmund Berkeley, Clk.
Test: Robert Pollard, C. C.

A copy.

OLD GRAVESTONES IN SAVAGE'S NECK, NORTHAMPTON COUNTY.

Communicated by T. B. Robertson, Eastville, Va.

The oldest settlement on the Eastern Shore of Virginia is in Savage's Neck, near Eastville. It was here that Thomas

Savage located in 1619, and started his plantation on land granted from the Indian chief of the locality, the head of the Accomack Indians. The family at one time owned the whole of Savage's Neck out to the present site of the town of Eastville.[1]

On Cherrygrove farm there are two old graveyards still to be found. In the one which is said to be the oldest, there are now a few tombs observable. This one is near the present Cherrygrove residence, and these have epitaphs as follows:

Here lies the body of
Margaret Savage, wife of Littleton Savage and
Daughter of William Burton Gent., who departed this
life the 6th. day of December, 1772, in the 35th
year of her age.

With unremitting attention She studied to discharge the
duties that every situation brought with it.

Nor could her piety to an aged parent be equalled except by an affection and tenderness which showed that she was the petted wife and sister.

If ever marble waked the tender sigh,
If e'er compassion claimed the melting eye,
Due to those in whom the virtues join,
'Tis due lamented shade to worth like thine
More religious, affable, and kind,
She owned each grace that decks the female mind.

Here lies the body of
Mary Savage, wife of Thomas Littleton Savage
and Daughter of Col. Littleton Savage,
Who departed this life the 10th. day of Feb., 1794,
in the 20th year of her age

Here lies the body of Coln. Littleton Savage,
Who departed this life the 9th day of Jany., 1805, in the 65th
year of his age, etc.

[1] The Savage family may be styled the oldest in Virginia, as Thomas Savage is probably the earliest immigrant from whom descent has been traced.

Here lies the body of Leah Savage, 2nd. wife of Col. Littleton Savage, and daughter of
Thomas Teagle, who departed this life the 5th. day of June, 1795.

In another place, where are a few indications of other older graves, is a stone with the following inscription:

Here lies the body of
Mr. Iames Forse Merch. late of Devon in Great Brittain,
who departed this life the 4th. day of Febry. 1754
in the 48th. year of his age. He married Mary Eldest
Daughter of Geo. Thomas Savage, of this County, the surveyor.

On Pleasant Prospect farm is the oldest one now observable. It reads as follows:

Here lies the body of Maj. John Savage, who departed this life the 3rd. day of Dec. 1746, aged 36 years.

And on a companion tomb by its side is a slab with the following:

Here lies the body of Mary Savage, who departed this life the 3rd day of Aug., 1770, aged 61 years.

Farther up the Neck is a graveyard of a later date, the oldest stone having on it the following inscription:

Sacred to the memory of Ann Jacob, wife of Robert C. Jacob, aged 55 years. Who departed this life July the 23rd., 1784. She was an affectionate wife, a tenderly parent, and charitable to all.

The slab over this one has on it the impression of a man's foot, seemingly petrified in the stone.

KING FAMILY OF VIRGINIA.

1. MICHAEL[1] KING, of Nansemond County, had issue, it appears: 2. Michael[2] King, Jr.; 3. *William*;[2] 4. *John*.[2] I have this statement upon the following facts. There is a grant from the colony to Michael King, Jr., and William King for 340 acres in Nansemond County, April, 1694. Then, in Oc-